

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

Alex. H. Washburn

Armistice Day
But East Is East
and West Is West

The original meaning of Armistice day was human thankfulness for the end of war. In a larger sense, Armistice day celebrated man's belief that perhaps war was over for all time.

But the Armistice day that we observe in 1948 is no celebration. Rather, it is a memorial to the dead, not only of World War I but of the greater war that followed when we thought we had finally reached the era of eternal peace.

And so our conception of Armistice day is inevitably changing. Instead of glorifying the living in a never-never land of eternal peace, as the original Armistice day tried to do, we now consecrate this day to the memory of all the brave men who went out from their native land to make sure war stayed away from its shores.

There is no more solemn moment in all the experience of mankind. For this is the sacrifice that life has exacted from almost every generation. To keep down on a distant firing line so that the enemy might be held back and the home-land defended. In bitter moments we try to get away from this reality, but we are confronted by the long record of written history and the thundering events abroad today.

We never quite do. The undeclared war that is being waged at Berlin between Russian troops and our military government and air lift is not a mere incident of the year 1948; actually, it is only the latest chapter in a struggle that has been going on for thousands of years between East and West.

The East-West line so apparent in Germany extends obviously to the fighting in China, where the American-supported government of Chiang Kai-shek, having lost the war, plays the true Oriental, has collapsed.

Thus, on either side of the world you have incalculable factors challenging the right of peaceable men to live in peace. And this is the day that we rededicate ourselves to the memory of men who died so that their own country might be preserved while the world went wandering down history's long and lonely corridor.

Nowadays, All Is Not Gold
That Glitters in Montana
By JAMES THRASHER

If the unexpected in natural events or human behavior is a prime ingredient of news, then a story out of Helena, Mont., a few days ago certainly deserves a big place among most newspapers.

To get right down to cases, they hit pay dirt again in Last Chance Gulch, which yielded some \$10,000 worth of gold in the middle of the last century. The gulch, to be sure, is now Helena's main street. And the "prospectors" were workmen digging a hole for a new elevator shaft under the Placer Hotel. Nevertheless, they did hit pay dirt.

Somebody must have shouted "Gold!" or excited words to that effect. But the excitement didn't generate any such fever as once made Montana a perilous frontier place.

The hotel management did call in some mining experts. They estimated that the strike was worth about \$1.75 a pound of gold, which would be rich enough to work. But the management told the workmen to go ahead and pour in the concrete. One of the officials explained the decision with these heretical words: "We can't have time to mess with gold."

Such a statement, uttered in the Montana of frontier days, would have branded the speaker as crazy. Today it probably reflects soundness of judgment. For gold is no longer a symbol of the ultimate in earthly desire. It is just another one of those things that modern man can take or let alone.

We don't think that this is a sign that human cupidity has vanished during the last century or that American enterprise has lost its zing. It is simply that the management of the Placer Hotel has adapted itself to a world in which a lot of old values have new price tags.

Those hotel men in Helena live in a country whose government has most of the world's gold. This gold was dug out of the earth just as the hotel men's elevator shaft if they had said the word. The United States government bought all its gold with dollars. But having bought it, what else do you do with it? It put it right back in the ground.

The government didn't buy things with the gold, or sell it to its citizens. It posted a guard over the buried treasure and called it a gold reserve. That is a fund which assures holders of United States government notes that the notes can be redeemed in gold. Of course, if they really tried to exchange them for gold they might run into trouble. But as long as the holders know the gold is there, nobody tries.

So perhaps the Placer Hotel people weren't so foolish to pour concrete on their new gold strike. The metal just stays in the ground, where it would have wound up anyway. Above it a new elevator will soon be running. And at present hotel rates, the management will gross considerably more than \$1.75 a cubic yard for the guests that ride in it.

Leo House Resigns
From KXAR to Take
Job With State

Leo House, Farm Program Director for KXAR since it went on the air December 12, 1947, today announced his resignation to accept a position with the Arkansas Forestry and Parks Department.

Mr. House will be assistant state director of forestry and education and will continue to make Hope his home. He will work all over Arkansas appearing before schools and civic clubs.

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WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas: Fair with rising temperature this afternoon and tonight. Friday partly cloudy.

Greatest Battle in Sino History Now Raging

Nanking, Nov. 11 — (AP) — The greatest battle in Chinese history involving more than 1,000,000 men by government estimate—raging North of the Yangtze today with Communist troops having a slight numerical advantage.

Government Spokesman Lt. Gen. Teng Wen-Yi said the battle was joined along the Suchow defense line which guards the road to the national capital.

Teng said government troops out-fought the Reds during the opening phases of the giant battle but that they had made successive withdrawals to "shorten their lines."

He said Reds under Generals Chen Yi, Liu Po-Cheng and Chen Keng already were throwing all available manpower into the fight, on which hinges the fate of North Central China.

The government, too, was bringing up reinforcements, Teng said, with some troops from along the Peking-Hankow railroad line already moved into battle.

Teng said the Reds had hurled 21 armies numbering 500,000 men into the battle.

(Communist) broadcasts heard in San Francisco by the Associated Press said the Reds have bottled up 350,000 troops in the Suchow area.

The government spokesman said the Communists had already suffered 30,000 casualties around Suchow. He said that was more than three times the number suffered by government troops.

Government warplanes of all descriptions were seen along the front lines, he said, described by Teng as larger and more bitter than any fought during the Sino-Japanese war.

In Nanking and Shanghai martial law has been declared and food riots had disrupted the routine in both cities yesterday.

Food shops reopened in Nanking. Residents calmed down from yesterday's hysteria. But in Shanghai many shops remained closed.

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Sees Trouble Over Price Supports

By OVID A. MARTIN
Portland, Me., Nov. 11 — (AP) — A sharp fight in the next Congress over farm price support laws was forecast today by leaders of the National Grange.

Here for the farm organization's 82nd annual convention, Grange leaders expressed opposition to a congressional proposal for drastic revision of a long-range farm law passed by the Republican-controlled 80th congress.

They also predicted the proposal would be opposed by President Truman and his agriculture department.

The revision proposal was made in Washington yesterday by Rep. Cooley (D-N.C.) who is due to be chairman of the powerful House Agriculture committee on January.

Cooley's attack on the GOP farm law was directed principally at its change of the present formula for calculating so-called "parity" or "fair" farm prices and a shift to a flexible support program.

Sees Repeal of Tax on Oleomargarine

Washington, Nov. 11 — (AP) — Senator Fulbright (D-Ark.) said today the new Democratic-controlled Congress is certain to repeal federal taxes on oleomargarine.

Fulbright already is working on a bill which would knock out these taxes. Under the constitution, tax legislation must originate in the House, but Fulbright could offer his repealer as an amendment to any tax measure the House sent to the Senate.

However, Fulbright said a number of House members are planning to offer repeal legislation soon after the new session begins in January.

The oleo tax issue cuts across the interests of different farming sections as well being a matter of concern to housewives who buy margarine.

The oleo sold in this country is made chiefly from cottonseed or soybean oils. Congress members from areas producing those farm products have generally backed repeal of the taxes.

But in many years, congressmen from butter-producing and dairy states have stoutly defended the taxes. Among other things, they argue that repealing them would invite imports of foreign oils and, in the long run, damage the American farm economy.

There was a big scrap over the taxes in the last Congress. Backers of the taxes succeeded in blocking a repealer.

"But I'm certain we have the votes as well as the groundwork completed for repeal in the new Congress," Fulbright told a reporter.

The federal tax is 10 cents a pound on colored oleo and one-fourth cent a pound on uncolored. Oleo manufacturers must pay a \$480 annual fee, or a \$200 one to sell uncolored. Retailers of colored oleo pay a \$48 license and \$6 for uncolored.

Annual revenues from the oleo taxes amount to about \$75,000,000 a year but Treasury officials say cost of enforcement is higher than that.

Hands Out \$100 Bills



Miss Helen Weiss, arrives at Newark, N. J., police headquarters to explain why she suddenly started passing out \$100 bills at the city's busiest intersection. Mrs. Weiss explained that she had become "upset," drew the money from a bank and began its distribution.

Violence Flares in Detroit Strike

Detroit, Nov. 11 — (UP) — Two pickets were arrested today and two others persons were detained by police as violence broke out again in the four-day-old strike of service employees at Harper hospital.

One of the persons detained, Le Howard, 45, pulled a knife when pickets attempted to prevent her entering the hospital, police said. She was disarmed quickly and identified by police as a non-strike employee of the hospital laundry.

One of the pickets was held also. The police commando squad was alerted as tension mounted before the hospital today.

About 175 pickets milled around the entrances. Earlier today a taxicab company reported an anonymous telephone caller who told it to keep its cabs out of the street.

Police said a cab company was warned not to bring passengers to the hospital or "face the consequences." The company reported that the cab was received by an anonymous telephone call this morning.

The first picket line violence erupted yesterday when a nurse reportedly was struck down as she attempted to board a bus near the hospital.

JAP MINERS STRIKE

Tokyo, Nov. 11 — (AP) — One-fifth of Japan's coal mines were shut down today as miners in 200 local unions went on 24 hour strike for higher wages and retirement pay.

NAMED LIBRARIAN

Little Rock, Nov. 11 — (UP) — Mrs. Catharine Thompson, Chew became librarian of the Little Rock Public Library today, filling the vacancy left by the recent death of Miss Vera Snook. Mrs. Chew had been acting librarian since the death this spring of Miss Snook.

Man Who Gives Away a Million Dollars a Year Defends the Giveaway Shows on Radio

By HAL BOYLE
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But today Goodson's invisible realm, like the British empire, has its troubles. Comedian Fred Allen and the Federal Communications Commission are threatening to shut down the music of his private cash register.

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Russian Threat Fails to Halt Berlin Air Lift

By WES GALLAGHER
Berlin, Nov. 11 — (AP) — American and British planes flew the supply route to Berlin today in the face of a Russian threat to force down planes straying from the 20-mile wide air corridor to the former German capital.

The answer to the Russians' threat, made last night was a terse promise from Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American military governor, that "we will keep them flying."

Both British and U. S. authorities publicly said they had standing orders to obey any Soviet flying orders, including the three air corridors.

The second threat presumably refers to a more serious view of the Russian threat. The Russians have complained of commercial flights in the Berlin air corridors.

Some official sources tended to discount the Soviet threat as another move in the war of nerves.

Although both Britain and the U. S. have said in the past they would use fighter escorts if necessary to keep the airlift going.

A senior American air officer who declined to be quoted by name said: "If this is a Russian bluff — and it looks like one — we called it. Now it remains to be seen how far they intend to go."

Another group of Allied officials took a more serious view of the Russian threat. They pointed out previous threats of action against the Soviet press but the Russians had not heretofore committed themselves in official notes.

The new Soviet move was disclosed when Brig. Gen. C. K. Gail, U. S. chief of staff, replied to a letter from Gen. G. S. Lukjantschenko, Russian chief of staff.

Gail's reply said Soviet authorities had been told to "land on the nearest airfield in the Soviet zone" and said: "You are informed that full and complete responsibility will rest on the shoulders of Soviet authorities should any injury be sustained by any of our personnel or any damage occur to our planes as a result of Soviet action taken in this connection."

The three air corridors between Berlin and Western Germany were established by four-power agreement. They are approximately 20 miles wide each. In addition there is an international air band around Berlin 20 miles wide.

The Russians have tried to alter the corridor agreement and recently claimed no such agreements existed. The Western powers have rebuffed the Soviet moves.

Pleasant Springs Observance to Be Held Nov. 21

The Pleasant Springs Baptist Church, near McCaskill, is holding its annual Thanksgiving and Old Day service on Sunday, November 21, it was announced by Cecil Hicks of McCaskill.

Lunch will be served at noon. The public is invited.

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Snow Hampers Search for College Coed

Boulder, Colo., Nov. 11 — (UP) — Blinding, wind-driven snow today hampered the search for the body of an 18-year-old University of Colorado coed believed to be a murder victim.

Theresa Foster of Greeley, Colo., was reported missing yesterday morning when she failed to return from a meeting of a college church club. Sheriff Art Everson and the state highway patrol began a search.

They found huge pools of blood, a scarf and a ring on a lonely road near Boulder. Everson said the girl "undoubtedly" was a murder victim.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Foster, identified the scarf and ring as the property of their daughter. The scarf, which was spotted with the ammunition clip from a .45 caliber automatic pistol and part of the broken butt-plate from the same type gun.

Everson believed the girl was picked up on a Boulder street and taken to the spot where the blood-soaked scarf was found. There, according to Everson, she probably was beaten with the pistol and stuffed into the trunk of the car.

The sheriff said he found marks of a struggle and the broken butt-plate from the gun indicated she had been struck with the weapon. Marks on the ground make it appear she had been dragged back to the car and placed in the trunk compartment, Everson said.

Education Week in Hope Grade Schools

This is national education week and of course there are many interesting activities going on in the different schools of our nation, but the people of Hope will be more interested in what is going on in our Hope Public Schools this week.

As the travel to the fifth grade in Paisley School where Mrs. Burroughs' class is getting ready for a play, entitled, "Indian Moccasins" to be given at the Paisley P.T.A. Wednesday afternoon.

The sixth grade is preparing for a play, entitled, "Mother played by Bertha Richardson, Humility played by Jo Beth Rettig, Desire by Saly Hardegreve, Resolve by Robert Hayworth, Little Bear by Michael Clark and Shining Light by Bobby Jean Doney.

The announcer for this program will be Wayne Johnson and Anita Kennedy will serve as prompter.

If you would like to know something about the new school, just step into Mrs. George Green's second grade where the children were reading a story about "Moving Stairways." Mrs. Green brought the Little Rock daily paper and the children brought their learning right down to their own state capital city.

Now on we go down the hall to Mrs. Witt's fourth grade where they are preparing for a play, entitled, "Books are our Friends" for National Book Week. In the library period in this room the children have read delightful books for children of their age. Then art has given color to this reading experience.

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The former mayor and long-time head of a Garland county political organization is scheduled for trial at Mt. Ida a week from today.

Fifteen separate criminal counts, all charging some type of official misconduct, are pending.

Huff declared that without knowing the specific charge the defense would be unable to prepare its case.

MacLaughlin previously was acquitted of one charge at Mt. Ida, where the case was taken on a charge of venue.

MacMath said later he would specify tomorrow the charge on which he plans to have MacLaughlin tried. He said he believed this would allow the defense sufficient time to prepare its case.

MacMath was contacted at Jonesboro where, as governor-elect, he had gone to confer with legislators likely to bring an end to the president's experiment with whiskers.

MacMath said he was a "vegetarian," he said.

Survey Shows Population of Hope Is 8,594

A representative of the Bureau of Census today unofficially certified to Mayor Lyle Brown that the population of Hope is 8,594, showing a gain of 1,119 over the official 1940 census.

This is purely a preliminary count, subject to correction. Mayor Brown said, indicating the increase is approximately 16 per cent.

The normal average increase of 1.5 per cent throughout the United States for a regular 10-year period is 15 per cent.

Spot checks are being made by city officials to determine whether an error has been made in the survey. Official certification can be expected within about 10 days and the survey has to be approved by the city before it becomes official.

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'Peace Meeting' Termed Russian Propaganda

Washington, Nov. 11 — (UP) — Russia's apparent encouragement of a

Nazi Financial Wizard Jailed for Retrial

Hamburg, Nov. 10—(UP)—Hjalmar Schacht, German financial wizard sought for retri al on war crimes charges, was today jailed in a small cottage, Schacht told the reporters.

The warrant was issued for the former president of the Nazi Reichsbank last Friday when the Wuertemberg-Baden Denazification ministry cancelled a verdict of an appeal court exonerating Schacht of the Nazi taint.

Now living alone and modestly in a small cottage, Schacht told the reporters he was most astonished to hear now that the police again are looking for me and that again I am to go to jail.

Schacht who was cleared of war crimes charges in Nuremberg, denied he was in hiding.

"But I must admit that I have tried to keep out of the way for awhile," he said.

The former top-ranking German official was dressed in a well-worn black suit. The cottage was poorly furnished and had neither a radio nor telephone. But Schacht appeared lively and energetic.

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- 2. Adjust your speed to road, weather and traffic.
- 3. Use Traction Type Tires on winter roads.
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trying to get out of the city to safely in the country.

On the political front, the official Central News Agency said Premier Wang Wen-tao had withdrawn his resignation and agreed to continue in office under a new policy.

The new policy, the agency said, would bring Wang, deputy premier Chang Li-sheng and Defense Minister Ho Ying-chin together to coordinate military and civil affairs. Rigid censorship was declared.

Major Gen. Chang Tai-hsiang, representing the commander of the Nanking garrison, said he was prepared to submit to punishment those responsible for anything objectionable published in China or abroad.

As the great battle raged in 150 miles Northwest of here, all American military groups moved out their wives and children. They were flown to the American-controlled port of Tsingtao Northeast of here and Shanghai.

Other foreigners were growing restless. British, French, Australian and other consulates in Shanghai said they had no evacuation plan has been worked out in Shanghai to be effected if the situation got worse. All admitted that a good many of their nationals were leaving voluntarily, which accounted for a tremendous increase in bookings at air and shiplines.

Automotive Hint

Sometimes worn bearings in the starting motor cause the armature to rub. This can be ascertained without removing the motor by holding a small piece of iron or steel against the outside of the housing while someone steps on the starter button. If the gauge is attracted to the housing, the armature is rubbing.

Market Report

MARKET CLOSED
New York, Nov. 11—(AP)—Domestic security and commodity markets were closed today in observance of Armistice Day.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK
St. Louis National Stockyards, Nov. 11—(UP)—As reported by the St. Louis Livestock exchange: Hogs: Salable receipts, 6,500. Markets steady to 25 cents lower than yesterday. Bulk of barrows and gilts 130 to 270 lbs 23-25; practical top 23.25; two loads 23.50. Packing sows 50 cent lower than 20-21.50; top on sows 21.50. Sows over 400 lbs 19.50-19.50. Stags 16-19.

Cattle: Salable receipts 2,000; steady and somewhat slow on bulk of steers and heifers. No strictly choice on sale. Few loads of medium steers 242.50; cows steady; bulk of common and medium beef 17-19.50. Canners and cutters 13-16.50; with better demand for canner and cutter cows. Beef cows: bulk of medium to good 18-20; 21.50-23 cutter and common 10-12. Heavy slaughter calves 13-16.50; 5 to 550 lbs in good demand. 23.50-26.50. Replacement market steady. Bulk of good and choice weaned lambs 25-25.50; practical top 25.50; a few to city slaughter ewes steady, bulk 6-8.

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Tojo, Others to Know Fate Tomorrow

Tokyo, Nov. 11—(UP)—Former Premier Hideki Tojo and 24 other onetime Japanese warlords probably will hear their fate from the Far Eastern War crimes tribunal tomorrow.

The 11-nation tribunal neared the end of the longest trial in history today. The verdict was due at the next court session opening tomorrow morning, which is early this evening in the United States.

On the eve of the judgment day the conviction of some or all of the 25 shapers and wielders of Japan's wartime policy of aggression appeared certain. If so, they will be sentenced as soon as the individual verdicts are pronounced.

Sir William Webb, presiding justice, took up the last phase of the 250,000-judgment today, the sixth day of the reading of the decision handed on a trial of two and a half years.

It was a solid condemnation of the Japanese government, and the men who handled its policy, for atrocities committed in China and later in other Pacific war theaters.

The whole tenor of the bulk of the court findings unfolded so far is one of conviction of Japan and her wartime leaders on various counts of war criminality. Court observers saw no loophole in all observers saw no loophole through which the fanatical military leaders at least and possibly other of the defendants could escape.

Typical of the piecemeal findings so far was today's verdict that the Japanese army and navy were guilty of war crimes such as torture, murder, rape and other cruelties of the most inhuman and barbarous character.

The atrocities were in so vast and common a pattern, the court held, that the only possible conclusion was that they were "either secretly ordered or wilfully permitted by the Japanese government or individual members thereof, and by the leaders of the armed forces."

Cases of cannibalism and vivisection by the Japanese were recited at length. The judges said that even officers up to the general rank and rear admirals took part in the eating of human flesh, and in some cases cannibalism occurred when other food was available.

Webb observed that the Japanese mistreatment of prisoners of war was a deliberate policy. He said the prisoners were regarded as discarded and entitled to live only by the tolerance of their captors.

"From beginning to end the customary and conventional rules of war, designed to prevent inhumanity, were flagrantly disregarded," the court ruled.

The Japanese took 132,134 prisoners from the U. S. and British forces, the court found, and 27 per cent of them died in captivity. The court cited by contrast the death in captivity of only four per cent of the prisoners taken by Germany and Italy.

A large part of the court denunciation of Japanese policy with regard to prisoners of war and conquered peoples were aimed squarely at Tojo, who helped guide the army clique during the war in China and became premier and war minister just before Pearl Harbor.

The court listed all manner of atrocities, from the beating of prisoners to murder, and the massacre of whole groups. It labeled as the most flagrant the so-called rape of Nanking in 1937, the Bataan death march in the Philippines, and the execution of the Doolittle attack who carried out the first air raid on Tokyo.

It accused the Japanese army of "inhuman, illegal warfare" in 1934-4, saying survivors of torpedoed ships were murdered. An order was issued to Japanese naval commanders calling for the "destruction" of the crews of allied ships, the court found.

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Dies Within 3 Days of 104 Year Old Husband

Hot Springs, Nov. 11—(AP)—Mrs. Cora Getty Ransier, 89, died here today, three days after the death of her 104-year-old husband.

Joint funeral services will be held tomorrow. Both bodies will be held tomorrow. Both bodies will be sent to Manila, N. Y., for burial. Mrs. Ransier is survived by a son, Col. H. V. Ladd of San Diego, Cal.

The husband, Julian M. Ransier, said in a newspaper interview several months ago that he was the last surviving member of a Civil War brigade commanded by General George Custer. Custer later was killed in the famous "Custer's last stand." As a veteran of the Union army, Ransier also was one of the last surviving members of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Observance of Armistice in Arkansas

By United Press
Gov.-elect Sid McMath sounded a call for freedom today as the state quietly celebrated the 30th anniversary of the signing of the armistice that ended the first world war.

The Hot Springs prosecutor spoke at an Armistice Day celebration in Jonesboro after reviewing a parade.

"About all," he declared, "the United States must keep its freedom. This nation has fought seven wars for freedom and would not have won them had it not been for the American love of liberty."

"I salute our comrades who fell in the last worldwide conflict," the next governor of Arkansas said. "We must pick up and carry on the ideals for which they fought. They were fighting for decency in the world and for democracy."

McMath said that as "good as our government is," Americans are not taking full advantage of it. The Jonesboro parade and speaking was one of the few in the state.

But there were exceptions. The Jenkins-Henderson American Legion Post sponsored a parade at Batesville. The National Guard provided a firing squad for a memorial service at the Independence County courthouse at 11 a. m., and a victory dinner was scheduled at the Legion hut at 7 p. m.

What was expected to be the largest parade in the history of the city was planned at Pine Bluff.

The Adams Jackson Legion Post sponsored the celebration at Paragard where the Arkansas State College band of Jonesboro led a parade at 2:30 p. m. Also in the parade were National Guard and Reserve Officer Training Corps Units and patriotic organization groups. The principal speaker was Brig. Gen. E. L. Cornere, state Selective Service director.

All offices in the capital building in Little Rock were closed for the day. Practically all county and city administrative offices, except for law enforcement groups, were closed. Banks throughout the state observed the holiday, and postoffices operated on a curtailed basis. One city delivery of mail was made in Little Rock.

The Arkansas Education Association opened its 80th annual convention in Little Rock.

Armistice Observed in Some Areas

Washington, Nov. 11—(UP)—Military leaders urged all Americans on this Armistice day to work and pray for the peace that 40,000 of their countrymen died to achieve through two world wars.

At Arlington National cemetery, just across the Potomac river from the capital, the American Legion paid tribute to the unknown soldier of World War I. A wreath was laid on the tomb by Col Louis H. Renfrow, assistant military aide to President Truman.

In Key West, Fla., where he is vacationing, Mr. Truman himself planned no special observance in commemoration of the 30th anniversary of the end of World War I.

Navy Secretary John L. Sullivan asked all citizens to join in a "prayerful petition that God may give us the wisdom and courage to do all those things which need to be done to keep this America safe and this world of ours at peace."

Air Secretary W. Stuart Symington appealed in a statement for renewed determination "to help bring about a lasting peace through full support of an increasingly effective international organization devoted to establishing the basis of world understanding."

"If it takes patience," he said, "let us be patient. If it takes humility, let us be humble. If it takes strength, let us be strong."

Adm. Louis E. Denfeld, chief of naval operations, reminded Americans that if this country had not won victory in two world wars "then the history of the world would have been turned permanently away from the path of freedom."

Symington in a speech prepared for delivery at Rochester, N. Y.,

warned that the world is now living in a state of "armistice, which is not peace."

"We all know that this hope for permanent peace was not realized (after World War I)," he said. "Peace does not come to a people for the asking. Peace must be planned for, negotiated for and, if all else fails, fought for."

In Birmingham, Ala., Army Secretary Kenneth C. Royall told a "world peace" luncheon that "wishful thinking and good intentions are not enough to save the peace."

"We face a troubled world again today," he said. "We find our gaze turning—unwillingly but hypnotically—toward at least the possibility of another world war. Again we detect the idea of war. Again we have an overwhelming urge to avoid it."

"This time... we must implement our desires and wishes and hopes. We must act to see that war is avoided, if possible."

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The results of the election will probably be known about Dec. 15. Afternoon of the convention was to break up into smaller meetings, to be climaxed by the first general session tonight.

Sid McMath will be the principal speaker at tonight's meeting.

NO SPECIAL TRAIN

Little Rock, Nov. 14—(AP)—Thurman Penn, passenger agent, says the Rock Island lines has abandoned plans to operate a special train from Fayetteville for the University of Arkansas homecoming and Arkansas-SMU football game.

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President Truman twice asked the Republican-controlled 80th Congress for such a levy to replace the wartime tax repealed in 1946. Each time the lawmakers rejected his idea.

Since the election there have been conflicting Democratic reports as to whether Mr. Truman might revive the suggestion in his January state of the union message.

Lowly Earthworm

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strength is not for ourselves alone." He added that the United States has stopped disarming. He could have said with equal truth that the British have stopped doing so. This projected alliance is in no sense an invitation to combat. It is purely defensive. Dulles emphasized our peace-mindedness when he branded as "vicious falsehoods" Russia's charges that America plans aggression. He said we have the most satisfactory insurance the Western nations could have against aggression. The cold war will continue, for Moscow never will cease in its world revolution for the spread of communism. The circumstances have led us to quit.

But Russia isn't likely to launch a military attack against western Europe if a powerful alliance

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Unions Getting Set for Wage Demands

Washington, Nov. 10 —(AP)—A government report that wages still are lagging behind prices gave unions fresh ammunition today for their fourth round pay boost offensive.

The new wage demands already are developing. The AFL recently called for worker-employer cooperation to step up productive efficiency and cut costs to clear the way for pay raises without new price hikes.

And an industrial relations research firm has just reported that "a few fourth round bids are being

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This firm, the National Foremen's Institute, said a survey of 600 newly negotiated labor contracts showed an initial pattern of about 9 1-2 cents a hour more.

The first three postwar pay increases round averaged out at about 18 1-2 cents, 15 cents and 11 cents an hour respectively.

The labor department's Bureau of Labor Statistics said in its report today that wage rates for factory workers have jumped 43 per cent since V-J Day but price increases have "largely cancelled out the advance."

However, the actual pay received by factory workers—as distinguished from their pay rates—increased an average of 30 per cent a week and 33 per cent an hour in the three years since Japan surrendered. This led the bureau to observe that:

"Rising prices have more than offset the increases in gross weekly and hourly earnings. The consumers price (cost of living) index for moderate income families increased by about 50 per cent over the three-year period."

The bureau's figures show that wage rates increased 8.7 per cent between October, 1947, and September, 1948—a period in which the living cost index rose 6.5 per cent. Comparable figures on the gain in actual earnings for the same period were not given.

The bureau said there are several reasons why actual earnings don't show as much increase as the 43 per cent jump in wage rates.

One is that the employees are working fewer hours with less opportunity for such premium pay as overtime and night differentials. Hence although their straight-time rates have gone up they may receive less money than they were getting during the war.

Another reason is that a larger proportion of workers now are employed in the "generally lower wage consumers goods industries," than in the former high skill war work.

The government agency found that earnings in non-manufacturing industries have varied from those in factories. Hourly wages in that trade rose 38 per cent in the three-year postwar period, but only 23 per cent in finance, insurance and real estate establishments, the bureau said.

Fulbright Explains Suggestion to Mr. Truman

Washington, Nov. 11 —(AP)—The Democrat who two years ago suggested that President Truman resign and let the Republicans take full control of the government is happy that his party swept last week's elections.

Senator J. William Fulbright's only regret is that his original proposal — after the Republicans captured Congress in the 1946 balloting — "was so widely misunderstood."

"I intended no personal criticism of President Truman then or now," the Arkansas lawmaker told a reporter today.

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As Usual, Molotov Twists Everything Around to Fit the Communist Pattern

By DeWITT MacKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov, in opening the Moscow ceremony marking the 31st anniversary of the Bolshevik revolution, declared the defeat of Thomas E. Dewey in the presidential election "shows that the great majority of Americans are against a policy of aggression."

Walt Molotov is dead right in thinking the great majority of Americans don't want war. They certainly do not! But he is wrong in drawing this conclusion from Governor Dewey's defeat, since the latter persistently campaigned for peace.

Americans want peace, and the thing that grips us most is that the Communists won't let us have it. Sure, we are arming; we are bolstering our fighting forces; we are helping non-Communist Europe get on its feet economically and militarily, and we are considering a military alliance with Canada and countries of western Europe.

But all this is in the interest of defense. Were the Russians so naive as to think we would sit twiddling our thumbs and let the Red steamroller run over us? I'm sure they have given us credit for more sense, but our defensive activities naturally provide them material propaganda such as both Marshal Tito and Marshal Bulganin, minister of armed forces, emphasized in their speeches in connection with the Red anniversary.

The two famous marshals followed Premier Stalin's recent lead in characterizing the Western powers as warmongers. Both called for military preparedness by the Soviet Union, but said the forces of peace wouldn't permit another war. Then came a great parade of Russian military might.

This piece of declaration for peace has a strange ring, coming as it does from leaders of a Bolshevik empire which is waging a fierce "cold war" against all non-Communist countries. Still, I believe it is true that Moscow doesn't want any "shooting war" at this juncture. You can put in any way you want to — that she doesn't want war because she isn't prepared for it, or that she doesn't want it because she loves peace. The point is that she doesn't want war.

However, this doesn't mean that we can have real peace. Russia's "cold war" for the spread of communism will continue full blast until she comes up against a stone wall. This means that America and other non-Communist countries are compelled to continue a hot defense against the cold war. We have to pour out our resources for military preparedness, and continue to live in a state of tension and uncertainty.

Yes, the American people want peace. I believe that the average Russian also wants peace. But the average Russian isn't a Communist. He is one of the scores of millions who are ruled by a small minority of Bolsheviks who dominate by force and the terrorism of secret police.

The problem is how to release the world from the fear of this minority dictatorship which has spread itself by strong-arm methods over many countries. The way things look now the solution is to continue the erection of barriers of military preparedness and so hold the Red advance until the peoples already under its domination are able to deal with the menace in their own way.

There is no denying more certain than that the oppressed peoples will revolt against totalitarianism in due course.

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THE SCOUTING TRAIL

Boy Scout Troop 80, of First Baptist church, will meet at the church Friday at 8:15 a.m. to go to Preston Hunt. Scoutmasters Floyd Osborn and Ansley Gilbert announced that the troop would leave for camp around 8:15 Friday morning and return Saturday afternoon. The Scouts will take their own bed rolls (quilts and blankets) and enough food for four meals. Scoutmaster Gilbert and Field Executive Hickman will go to camp with the Scouts.

Scouts will enjoy a program of adventure, advancement, campfire program of stunts, songs and games; and outdoor cooking. Campers will be open to scout troops who do not prefer to live in tents or improvised shelters.

Top Radio Programs

New York, Nov. 11 —(AP)—Topics tonight:
NBC-6 Supper Club 7:30 Burns and Allen; 8:30 Jessel and Al Jolson; 9:30 Dot Lamour; 9:30 Fred Waring.
CBS-7 Play in Peace and War; 8:30 Suspense Drama; "Murphy Track"; 9:30 Crime Photographer; 9:30 Jean Herschell in James Hilton

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Playhouse, 9:30 First Nighter. ABC—Abbott and Costello; 8 "Summer Replacement." Personal Autograph Concert: 9 Child's World.
MBS-7 Geo. O'Hanlon Family Skit, 7:30 Better Half; 8:30 Mysterious Traveler; 9 Thin Man.
Friday Items:
NBC-8 1:30 a. m. Clevelandaires. CBS-10:30 a. m. Grand Slam Quiz.
ABC-9:45 a. m. Eleanor and Anna Roosevelt.
MBS-10:15 a. m. Victor Lind- uhr on Food.
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5:37 Sign On
6:00 Billie Holiday
6:15 Eastern Melody
6:30 News First Edition
6:40 Arkansas Plowboys
6:55 Market Reports
7:00 Farm Breakfast Program
7:15 Melody Boys
7:30 The Devotional Hour
7:45 Eastern Melody
7:55 News, Coffee Cup Edition
8:00 Sunrise Serenade
8:30 Slogan Parade
8:55 Arkansas News Roundup
9:00 Cecil Brown—M
9:15 Faith of Our Time—M
9:30 Nashville Program
9:45 Blue Barron Presents—M
10:00 Passing Parade—M
10:15 Victor H. Lindlahr—M
10:30 Gabriel Heatter's Mailbag

Friday p.m., Nov. 12
12:00 News, Home Edition
12:10 Market Time
12:30 John Daniel Quartet
12:45 Pot Luck
12:55 Farm Fair
1:00 Eddy Arnold Show—M
1:00 Queen for a Day
1:30 Golden Hour Chest—M
2:00 Movie Matinee—M
2:15 Ozark Valley Folks—M
3:00 Meet the Band
3:15 The Johnson Family—M
3:30 1490 Club
4:00 Swing Time
4:45 America at Sea
5:00 Adventure Parade—M
5:15 Superman—M
5:30 Captain Midnight—M
5:45 Tom Mix—M
6:00 Bobcat Per Rally
6:15 News, Five Star Edition
6:25 Today in Sports
6:30 Henry J. Taylor—M
6:45 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:00 Great Scenes from Great Plays—M
7:30 Bobcat Preview
7:45 Football game: Hope vs. Searcy
8:00 Gabriel Heatter—M
8:55 Bill Henry, News—M
10:00 All the News—M
10:15 Dance Orch.—M
10:30 Henry Jerome's Orch.—M
10:55 Mutual News—M
11:00 Sign Off

THE SCOUTING TRAIL

Boy Scout Troop 80, of First Baptist church, will meet at the church Friday at 8:15 a.m. to go to Preston Hunt. Scoutmasters Floyd Osborn and Ansley Gilbert announced that the troop would leave for camp around 8:15 Friday morning and return Saturday afternoon. The Scouts will take their own bed rolls (quilts and blankets) and enough food for four meals. Scoutmaster Gilbert and Field Executive Hickman will go to camp with the Scouts.

Scouts will enjoy a program of adventure, advancement, campfire program of stunts, songs and games; and outdoor cooking. Campers will be open to scout troops who do not prefer to live in tents or improvised shelters.

Top Radio Programs

New York, Nov. 11 —(AP)—Topics tonight:
NBC-6 Supper Club 7:30 Burns and Allen; 8:30 Jessel and Al Jolson; 9:30 Dot Lamour; 9:30 Fred Waring.
CBS-7 Play in Peace and War; 8:30 Suspense Drama; "Murphy Track"; 9:30 Crime Photographer; 9:30 Jean Herschell in James Hilton

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Troops Abroad Hold Quiet Ceremonies

London, Nov. 22 —(AP)—American occupation troops and the French nation observed Armistice Day today, but in the rest of Europe the 30th anniversary of the end of World War I passed almost un-noticed.

President Vincent Auriol led the French in paying homage to the men and women who gave their lives for the nation in wartime.

In Germany the U. S. Army observed the anniversary by giving a holiday to all but essential personnel. There were no parades or oratory.

For pilots flying the U. S. British airlift to Berlin, it was just another day of work. Their planes roared in and out of the blockaded city in the face of a new Russian threat to force down any aircraft caught flying outside the three traffic corridors.

Lt. Gen. Geoffrey Keys, American high commissioner for Austria, stressed the theme of preparedness as a means of insuring peace in Shropshire.

All American Army cemeteries in Britain are closed for distinction. "Our light of hope on this Armistice Day, 1948," he said, "is of hope being returned to the United States."

In Britain, where "Remembrance Day" was observed last Sunday, there was only one Armistice Day program. A plaque in memory of ten U. S. and six RAF airmen killed in crashes within the city was unveiled at Much Wenlock.

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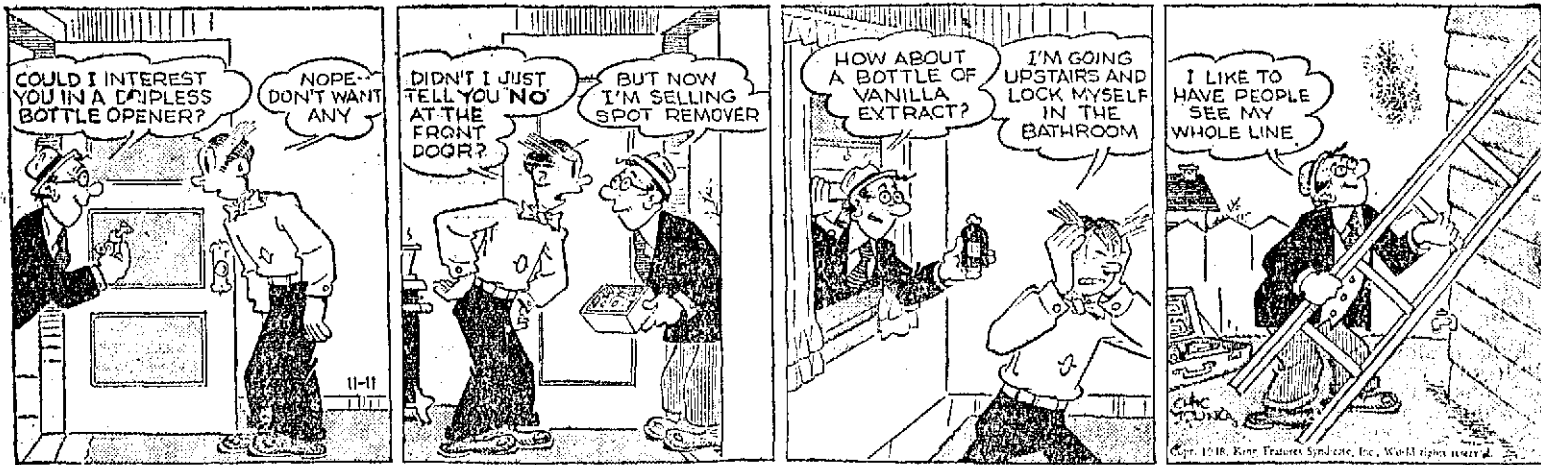
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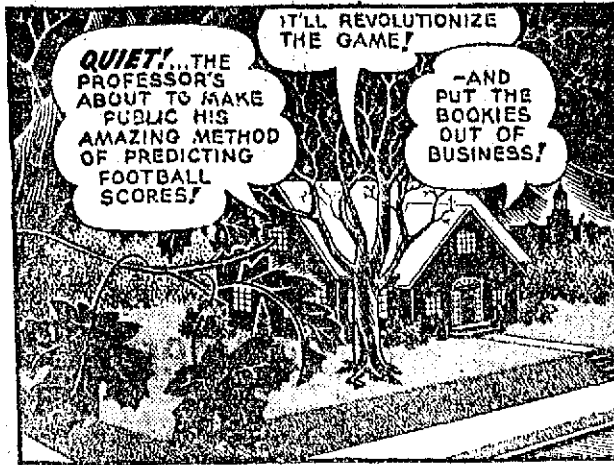
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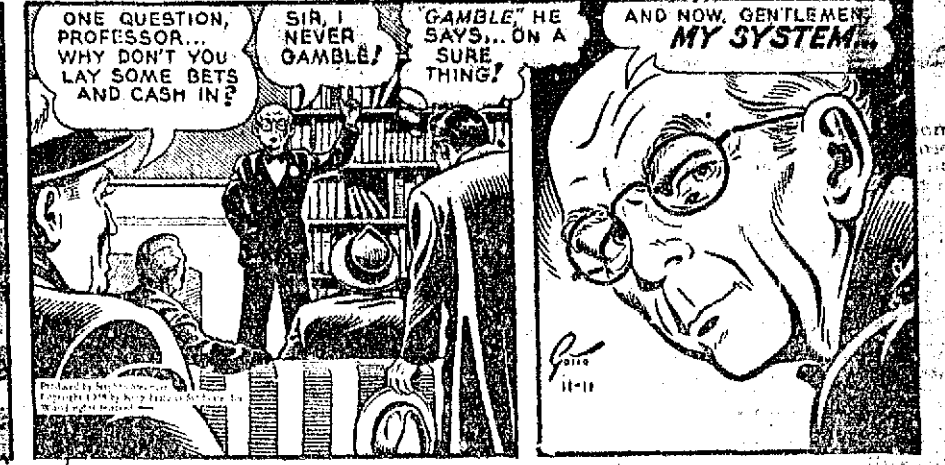


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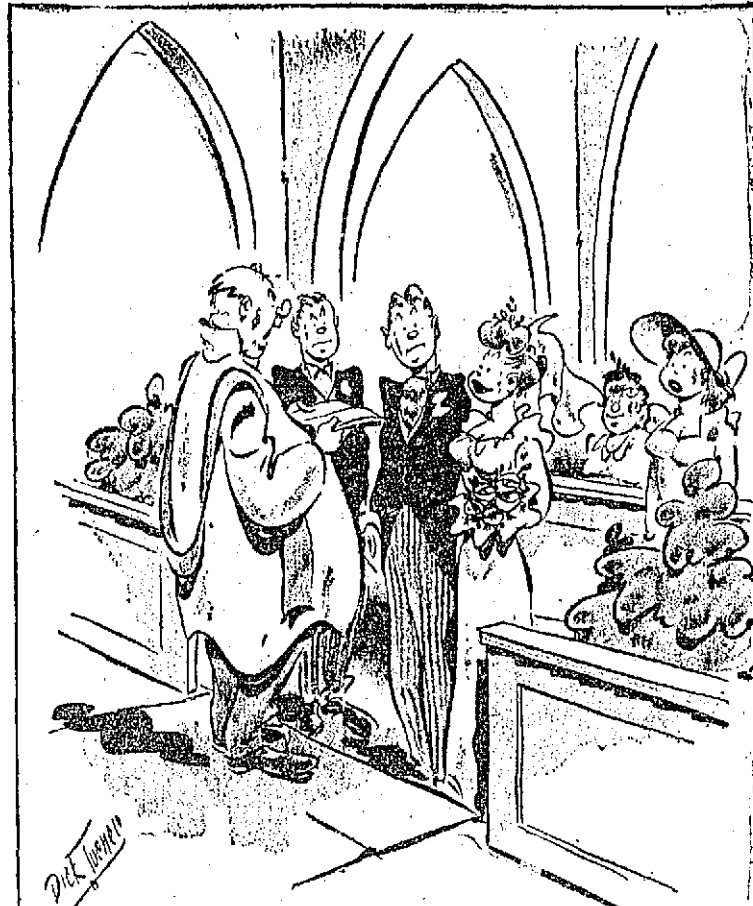
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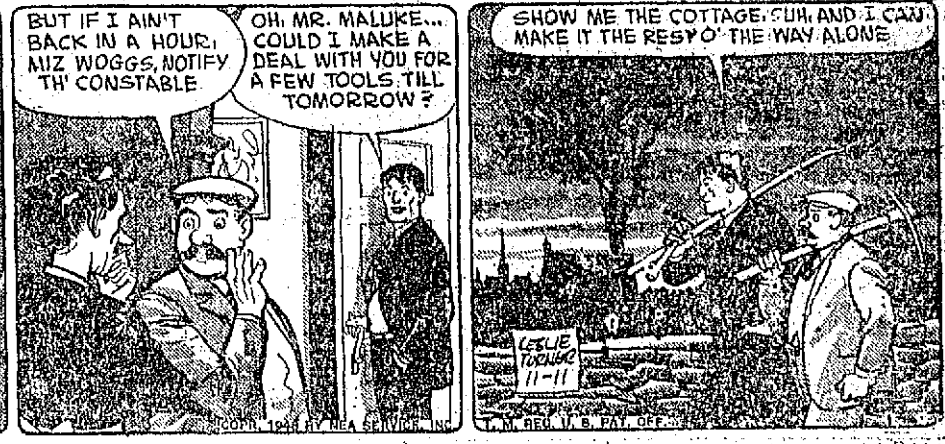
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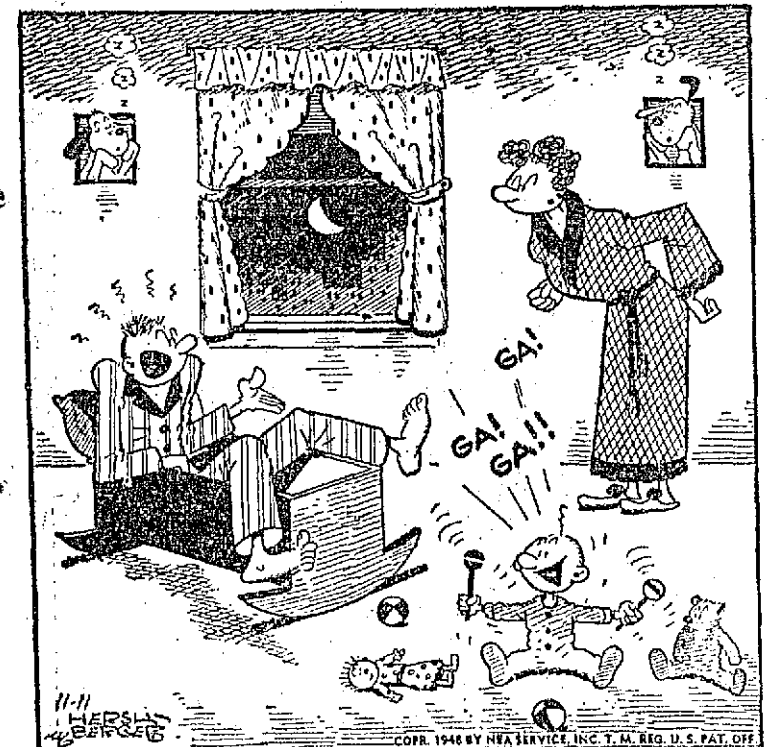
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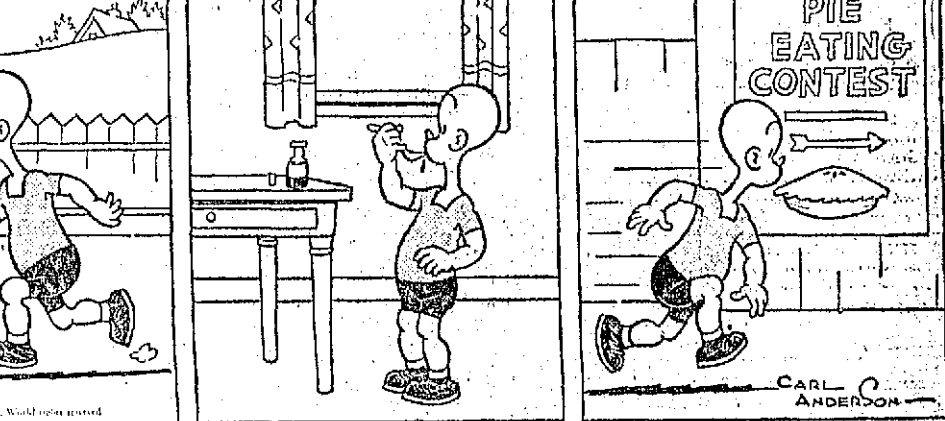
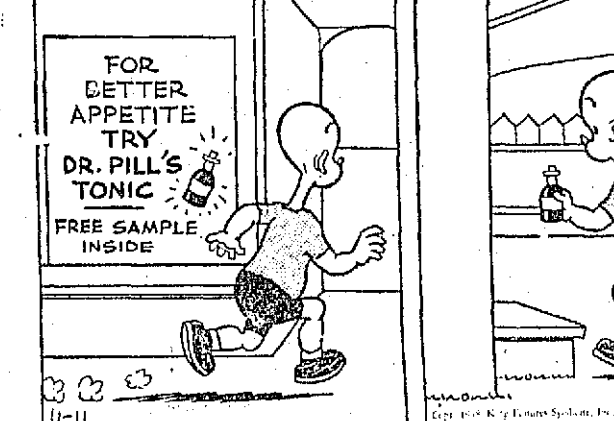


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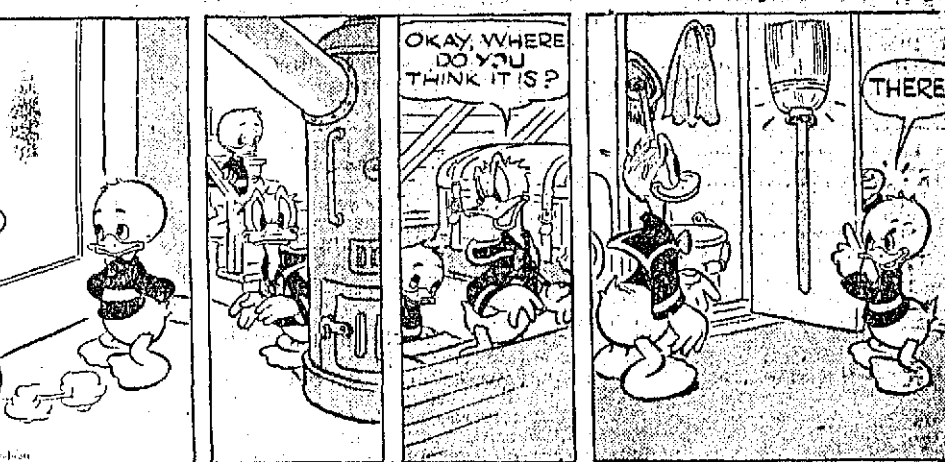
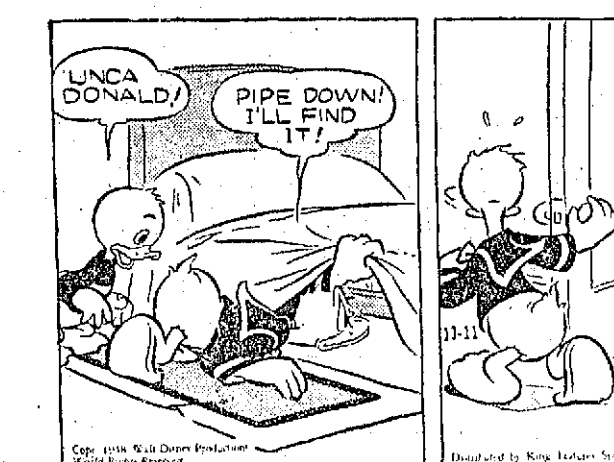
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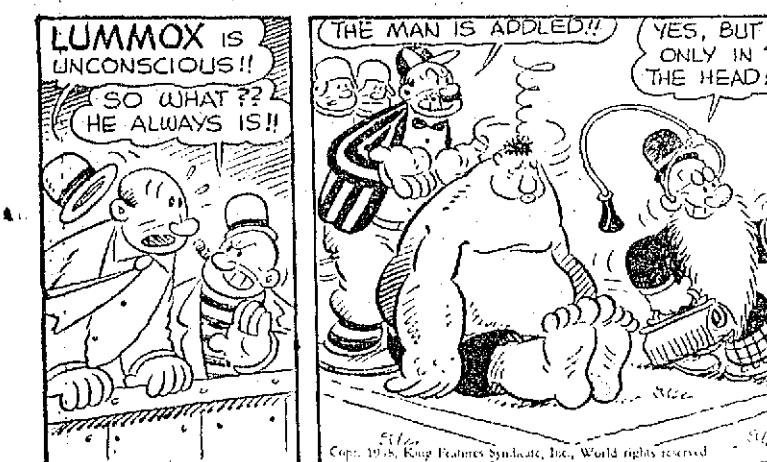


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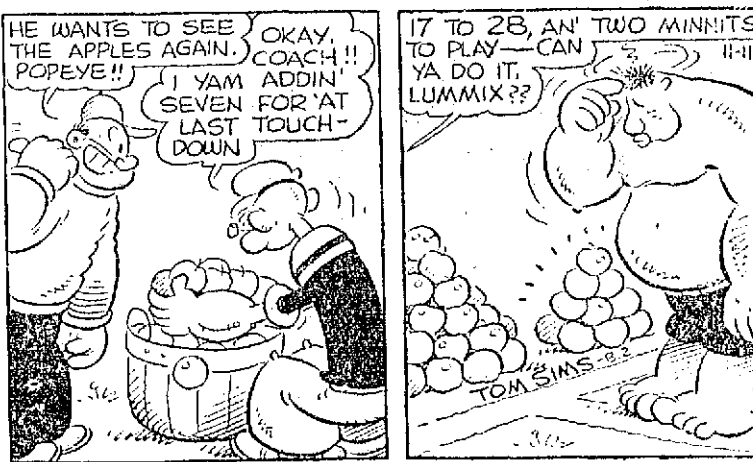
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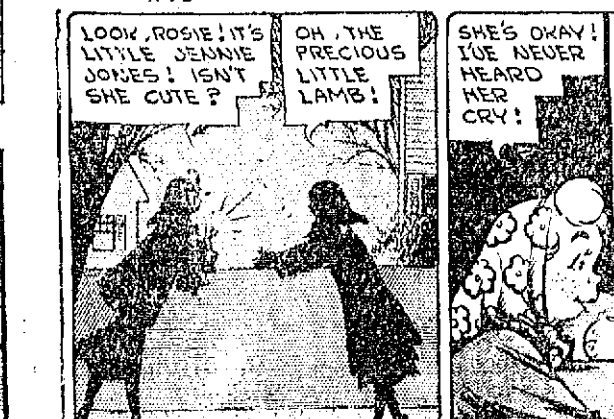


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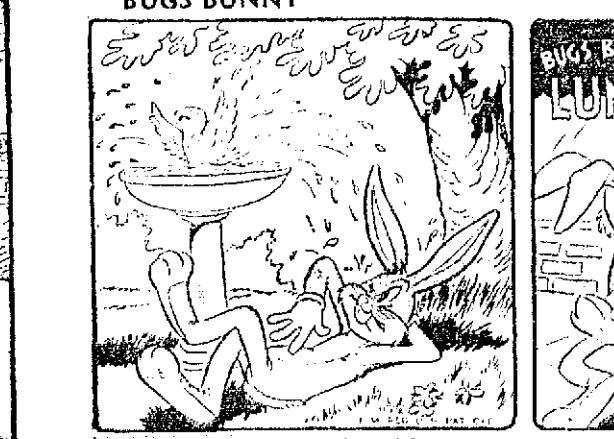
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Desperate Is Word Most Nearly Describing China's Hopeless Economic Collapse

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Speculation on Coming Legislation

By JIM THOMASSON

Little Rock, Nov. 11 (AP)—Proposals for a positive ballot form for Arkansas elections and a registration system for voters may find strong support in the 1949 legislature.

This is based on an Associated Press Poll of members of the next general assembly, a majority, however, was unwilling to state positions on the 19 questions asked in the poll.

On the question "What, if any, election law changes do you think are needed?" 24 of the 134 senators and representatives gave their views. Three others said they did not wish to go on record at this time.

But of those 25 replies, which came from men who represent one-third of the 75 counties, there was a preference for a registration system and a change in the ballot form.

Answers ranged from a terse "none," to a novel suggestion by Rep. Lindell Hile, Murfreesboro, who proposed a state manager for each state election.

However, there was a solid segment of opinion that strict compliance with present election laws would eliminate many complaints.

Sen. Howard Holthoff, Gould, summed up the consensus of that group this way:

"I think that if the present election laws were enforced more rigidly that many of the election evils would be eliminated. Rather than much change, I would favor greater penalties for election law violations."

Many of the legislators favoring a voter registration system also called for elimination of the poll tax, as Sen. Pat Garner, Fort Smith said, "before the federal government forces us to take such action."

Since approval in the Nov. 2 election of constitutional amendment No. 39, authorizing a voter registration system, Governor-elect Sid McMath has said he would recommend setting up a registration system. He also said he would ask the legislature to study elimination of the poll tax and, if it feels such action wise for the state, to submit the necessary constitutional amendment for a vote in the 1950 general election.

The so-called negative voting system used in Arkansas often has been criticized. Of the legislators suggesting changes Rep. Jesse S. Smith, Van Buren, was the most positive.

The law should be changed to permit a voter to put an "X" after the name of the candidate of his choice, instead of having to scratch out the names of all those but the candidate of his choice," he said.

Several suggestions for better guarantees of secrecy of the ballot were made. Reps. Walter Young, El Dorado, and Glenn F. Walther, Little Rock, proposed voting machines as a solution.

In his novel proposal for a state manager for each campaign, Hile also suggested a limit on expenditures and a permit from the state manager of the campaign before anyone could make a contribution to a candidate.

He also proposed moving the primary elections up to mid-April and may and also favored a positive voting system.

The only choice heard against the double primary system was that of Rep. Charles Smith, Marion, Crittenden county, who expressed the opinion that a candidate receiving a plurality vote is entitled to nomination. "After all the voters have had an opportunity to select from the entire field," he said, "and as it is the leading candidate in the first primary is at the mercy of possible expedient trading between the candidate in second place and the eliminated candidates."

The requirement for nomination by majority vote, which necessitates the double primary in Arkansas, was a "sleeper" clause in a constitutional amendment adopted in 1930. At a subsequent general election, the voters rejected an attempt to repeal the provision.

There were two other suggestions for a curb on campaign spending. In addition to a spending limit, Rep. M. O. Raley, Paragould, suggested doing "something with the candidate who pays a ward or township worker, and also the man who accepts the money."

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Farmers Changed Minds About Truman Within Few Days

Washington, Nov. 10 (AP)—Farm belt senators said today there are strong signs many farmers who voted for President Truman made up their minds less than 10 days before the election.

One Midwestern senator, whose name cannot be used, told a reporter that farmers feared a new Republican administration might rock the boat on farm prices. He said they were alarmed by price declines in recent weeks.

"Many of those I talked to after the election said they were not

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Wallace Not Wanted by Democrats

Washington, Nov. 10 (AP)—Henry A. Wallace will find the welcome mat gone if he makes any move to return to the Democratic party, National Chairman J. Howard McGrath said today.

Although he did not rule out absolutely the re-conversion of a repentant Wallace, McGrath told a reporter:

"So far as I am concerned, Henry Wallace has taken himself out of the Democratic party and he can stay out."

The national chairman added that the triumphant Democratic committee—its internal strife still stilled by President Truman's smashing victory at the polls—is making no gestures toward any fringe elsewhere.

Wallace has made no announcement of his future plans. Neither has he said what is going to happen to his Progressive Party, which polled little more than 1,000,000 votes nationally.

But Senator Glen Taylor of Idaho, Wallace's vice presidential running mate, told a reporter he thinks the Progressives will wait and see how Mr. Truman delivers on his campaign promises before deciding whether to disband or go ahead with their movement.

"The president stole our thunder in the campaign," Taylor said. "He practically adopted the Progressive platform and began promising to carry it out."

"I told a lot of people before the election that Harry Truman was going to get a lot more votes than most people thought."

"Well, we are going to wait and see how he carries out his promises."

Taylor said he expects to support any "liberal" proposals Mr. Truman submits to Congress.

Taylor still is listed as a Democratic senator. As such he has the right to vote in Democratic caucus on such things as committee assignments and chairmanships.

He said he doesn't care which the Democrats continue that

Congo Population Up

Brussels (AP)—The European population of the Belgian Congo has raised from 27,791 in 1939 to 43,401 in 1947. Seventy-five per cent of them are Belgians. During the same period, the negro population has increased to 10,700,000. The Congo is eighty times larger than Belgium, whose population is now about 8.5 millions.

right or not. They may keep him officially listed as a Democrat in the hope that he will help put over some of Mr. Truman's domestic proposals.

Taylor said he hasn't changed his opposition to the administration's foreign policy. He said he believes, he said, that a "tough" policy in dealing with Russia can end only in war.

Neither Taylor nor McGrath would confirm reports that Wallace has made peace overtures to the regular Democratic organization.

said that the administration might send Wallace to Moscow to see what could be done about improving relations between this country and Russia. That drew a flat turn-down, a Democratic national committee aide told a reporter.

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midnight. The Hastys then went to a Cairo, Ill., hospital where Ronnie arrived more than 10 hours later.

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